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M O S T S E C R E T C O S O T T A W A

PART 1. NAVY U P T O 1 2 0 0 H O U R S 1 9 N O V E M B E R .

(A) **PACIFIC** S O L O M O N S 1 7 N O V E M B E R . A L L I E D N A V A L U N I T S
B O M B A R D E D R U N W A Y A N D R E V E T M E N T A R E A S B U K A .

PART 2. ARMY.

(A) **MEDITERRANEAN AREA.** S I T R E P T O 1 2 0 0 H O U R S 1 8 N O V E M B E R .
V I I I A R M Y R T R I G N O H A S R I S E N 7 F E E T I N L A S T F E W D A Y S . V C O R P S . 7 8 D I V
R E C C O O N L Y . 8 2 D I V M T O R R E L L A O C C U P I E D A N D P A T R O L S T O 3 6 8 9 A N D H 3 5 9 1
W H I C H I S C L E A R . 1 3 B D E C O N C E N T R A T I N G A R E A P O L J W T R I H 4 8 9 2 . X I I I C O R P S .
1 C D N D I V . 3 B D E I N P O S I T I O N T R E T E R M I N I H 2 7 5 0 V A S T O G O R A R D I H 2 1 5 2 A N D
P A G L I A R O N E H 1 9 4 8 W I T H F W D P A T R O L S . A L S O S T A N D I N G P A T R O L S A G N O N E A N D
R O C R A S I C U R A . 5 D I V . I N C O N T A C T A T M A D O N N A B U T F O S S E H 0 5 4 2 I S N O W C L E A R .
V A R M Y . V I C O R P S . A N N O C H A N G E . I I C O R P S . 3 6 D I V H A S A L M O S T C O M P L E T E D
R E L I E F O F 3 D I V . 3 D I V (L E S S E L E M E N T S) H A S B E E N A S S I G N E D T O I I C O R P S
A N D I S A S S E M B L I N G V I C I N I T Y H 1 7 9 6 . X C O R P S L I T T L E A C T I V I T Y .

(B) **RUSSIA. SOUTHERN FRONT.** R A I N A N D F O G H I N D E R E D O P E R A T I O N S
I N T H E C R I M E A . I N D N E P R B E N D H E A V Y F I G H T I N G C O N T I N U E S S W O F D N E P R O P E T R O V S K
A N D N O F K R I V O I - R O G . I N K I E V S A L I E N T H E A V Y E N E M Y C O U N T E R A T T A C K S S E O F
P A S T O V A N D I N T H E A R E A S O F K O R O S T Y S H E V A N D Z H I T O M I R C O N T I N U E . T H E S O V I E T
D R I V E O N K O R O S T E N S U C C E E D E D . S O V I E T S S L I G H T L Y I M P R O V E D N O R T H E R N P O R T I O N
O F K I E V S A L I E N T N E A R T H E L O W E R P R I P E T . I N G O M E L A R E A E N E M Y G A V E U P
R E C H I T S A . T H E S O V I E T S E X T E N D E D T H E I R H O L D W E S T W A R D A L O N G T H E G O M E L -- P I N S K
R R T O V A S I L E V I C H I 2 5 M I L E S W O F R E C H I T S A . N O R T H O F G O M E L H E A V Y S O V I E T
P R E S S U R E C O N T I N U E S W I T H N O I M P O R T A N T C H A N G E S . G O M E L ' S P O S I T I O N V E R Y

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